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At REASONABLE PRICES by the DAY or WEEK. The TABLE will be supplied with the best the market affords.
**No Chinese Cooks Employed.**
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**Saloon, Wine and Billiard**
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MAIN ST., BET. RAILROAD AND FIRST, WINTERS.
**J. C. HULSE, Proprietor.**
**Choice Wines, Liquors and Cigars.**
**A FINE BILLIARD TABLE HAS JUST BEEN SET UP.**
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TWO FINE NEW BILLIARD TABLES HAVE JUST BEEN SET UP.
☞ Give me a call. m10-tf

**Centennial Saloon,**
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M. W. McGRATH, - - - Proprietor,
Where can be found a choice supply of
WINES, LIQUORS, LAGER BEER,
**And CIGARS of the favorite brands.**
Call and see us, and being refreshed, enabled to go on your way rejoicing. jy15-tf

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SACKETT'S BUILDING, MAIN STREET, BETWEEN RAILROAD AND FIRST.
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THE BEST OF
**Wines, Liquors and Cigars,**
Always on hand; also a
**FIRST-CLASS BILLIARD TABLE.**
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**EAGLE SALOON,**
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Adjoining Justice's Office, east of Postoffice,
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THE BAR is supplied with the best of
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☞ GIVE ME A CALL. je9-tf

**CLARK'S SALOON,**
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NEXT DOOR TO THE
**BARBER SHOP,**
THE BEST OF
EVERYTHING IN THAT LINE.
I SOLICIT A SHARE OF THE
**PUBLIC PATRONAGE.**
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**BROWN'S**
**Livery and Feed Stable,**
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**HORSES AND CARRIAGES**
ON HAND
DAY AND NIGHT.
Horses Boarded by Day or Month
AT REASONABLE RATES.
nov4-tf E. BROWN, Prop'r.

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**THOMAS KEEFE,**
HAVING REMOVED TO MY NEW BRICK Store, and re-stocked it with
**Fresh Drugs and Medicines,**
I would respectfully inform my friends and the public in general, that I am prepared to fill
PHYSICIANS' PRESCRIPTIONS
With care, NIGHT OR DAY. Parties living at a distance can have their Medicines sent by express C. O. D. I have always on hand
**PURE WINES and LIQUORS**
**FOR MEDICAL USE.**
**FINE HAVANA CIGARS**
ALWAYS ON HAND.
—ALSO—
**TEETH EXTRACTED**
WITH CARE AND SKILL.
All orders received by mail or express will be promptly attended to. jan26-tf

**E. A HUMPHREY'S**
**Saddle and Harness**
**SHOP,**
**Railroad Street, bet. Abby and Edwards,**
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KEEPS a Large and Selected Stock of
SADDLES, BRIDLES. HALTERS, BUGGY ROBES, LAP DUSTERS, WHIPS, ETC.
**Gloves of all Description constantly on hand.**
☞ REPAIRING DONE AT THE SHORTEST NOTICE, AND AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.
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**EDWARD HAYES,**
CORNER OF FIRST & ABBY STS.,
Having enlarged his establishment, is now prepared to do all kinds of
**Work in His Line**
INCLUDING
CARRIAGES, WAGONS,
FARMING MACHINERY,
AND TURNING
OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.
And he does not propose to be outdone in workmanship, or in fair, honorable dealing.
☞ Horse-shoeing a Specialty.
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**Fashionable Dressmaker.**
**Mrs. John Webber,**
THE WELL KNOWN
**FASHIONABLE DRESSMAKER,**
Has Removed to
**A. Alexander's White House,**
MAIN STREET, WOODLAND,
Where she is prepared to make Dresses of all kinds in the LATEST STYLES. She does her work neatly and promptly, and satisfaction guaranteed.
☞ All orders from the country, for Dress Goods or Trimmings, will receive prompt attention.
sept2-tf

**SCOTT'S**
**BARBER SHOP,**
**MAIN STREET, adjoining Welch's Saloon,**
Where he is prepared to do all work in his line, and hopes by
**STRICT ATTENTION TO BUSINESS,**
TO MERIT PUBLIC PATRONAGE.
Ladies' and Children's Hair Cutting A SPECIALTY.
sept20-tf

**Murray & Nelson,**
**HOUSE, SIGN and CARRIAGE PAINTER,**
WINTERS, YOLO COUNTY, CAL.
PAPER HANGING,
GRAINING AND
GLAZING
**Promptly Attended to.**
feb17-tf

**MILK! MILK!**
**H. JONES**
INFORMS the citizens of Winters that he is prepared to supply them with pure FRESH MILK, morning and evening, and hopes by strict attention to business, to merit a share of their patronage. Orders left at his residence on Grant street, Cox's Addition, will be promptly attended to. dec16-tf

**DRAYING.**
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**C. A. BOEKHOFF,**
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LADIES' Crape, Woolen Shawls, Dresses of every description. Gloves and Feathers Dyed and Cleaned. Also Ladies' and Gentlemen's Clothing Dyed and Cleaned Without shrinkage. nov25-1y

### The Happy Valley.

There's a fair and happy valley
Where the sleeping sunlight lies,
And the airs that blow about it
From a thousand flowers arise;
And the little clouds that follow
Are the tears of children's eyes.

But the clouds—they swiftly hasten,
Like a wing across the sea,
And the laughter reawakens
As the shadows drift away;
And Faith lives on unshaken,
And Hope moves merrily.

All o'er that happy valley
The wild birds sail and sing
Beneath its emerald bowers
Like gems upon the wing.
The butterflies, gay, golden,
On the long grasses swing.

Down thro' the pleasant meadows
The little children go,
No cloud upon the spirit,
No darkness on the brow.
O, fair and happy valley—
Passed years and years ago.

We turn with silent longing
To those bright fields afar,
Where in life's rosy morning
Shone childhood's golden star;
And memory softly brightens
The after years of care.

—*Mrs. C. M. Fairchild, in Burlington Hawkeye.*

### The Great Exposition.

The great day of jubilee is over. Yesterday all Paris was happy and rejoicing, for although far from ready, the Grand Exposition was declared open, and thousands of eager visitors passed through its vast halls.

All night the people were busy everywhere with decorations, and the troops began very early on Wednesday morning to move towards the Trocadero, where, during the day, they were stationed (instead of making part of a procession), taking the place of police, and forming a human fence all the distance from the Trocadero steps, where the royal party were to come out to the grand entrance of the main building, thus holding the crowd entirely away from the open space between the two great buildings. The day was a real April day, of showers, and the rain came pelting down at the most unpropitious times, without respect to persons.

About one o'clock the grand cortege approached the Trocadero, and each state carriage being preceded by a double phalanx of cavalry (each rider in full body armor) coming at full tilt. The effect was very fine.

Madame McMahon came first with several ladies and stood in position to receive the guests. Then came the magnificent turnouts, rich in heavy cloth of gold lace, gaily-dressed footmen and drivers, four on each carriage, and magnificently caparisoned horses. The four horses of the Prince of Wales, with gold-mounted harnesses, the red and gold footmen and the English carriage of the finest workmanship, was probably the grandest of all; but the whole scene was grand. The young Prince of Austria had an entire equipment of white, carriage decorations and uniforms. As each new arrival appeared, a bugle was sounded, and the band near the entrance played the national air of the country represented. There was a large party of Chinese officials, and all in the full costume of the country; and besides the Princes mentioned were the Duke d'Aosta, Don Francis de Assises, Prince of Denmark, Henry of Holland and the Queen of Holland, the Dukes of Manchester and Sutherland, and several Oriental dignitaries whose names do not appear.

The Royal party having all assembled in a very richly ornamented gallery thrown out from the front of the Trocadero palace over the grand fountains, the short ceremony of official opening of the exposition took place, and at a signal all the fountains were started. The cannon at the Invalides and at Mont Valerian gave a salute of 101 guns; the flags of all nations were hoisted, and the bands played the national airs. Then passing near my position, the royal party came out from the Trocadero to march in procession (the ladies returning to their carriages); but no sooner had they started out than a smart shower began to descend upon their devoted heads, and all order was impossible, so that it was rather a pell mell stampede of royalty than a dignified walk through pleasure grounds.

A short time afterwards, when going with the crowd up into the royal circle, I found myself seated between the French and English Ministers, Mr. John Welsh and General Noyes; they told me that they started to lead the procession, with McMahon and the Prince of Wales, but seeing that there was to be no order or dignity to it, thought best to avoid the rain. Mr. Welsh is the same genial, kind gentleman we learned to appreciate at Philadelphia in '76; and Mr. Noyes is, with his cultivated and interesting wife, filling the post of honor here in a manner which none can complain of—simple and unassuming—yet maintaining a dignity necessary for the position.

But to our opening, after the entrance of the dignitaries, and half an hour's escort through the building, the public were admitted and improved fully the privilege granted them. I mean the public who had tickets. And it was really wonderful to see what had been accomplished in 24 hours. The English department was comparatively in order, so little was to be done compared with that of other nations, but it will be at least a month before they are in order.

The next in order comes America, like a new civilization, not beginning to be ready, the goods having been delayed so long on the old vessels provided for their transport, that twenty-nine cars will only just arrive to-day, and hardly a case in place; but with all this disadvantage we did well on the opening day. What we had was in order. Several soldiers were stationed about, with American guns, standing in groups, directing the crowds gathered around where to find the different appointments. The people were studying their strange uniform (United States infantry). Then outside our space, while the cortege passed, there were stationed a line of sailors from one end of our government ships, in so good trim that McMahon stopped and complimented them on their appearance. No doubt many loyal hearts will be fired with righteous indignation that we have so small space and think we were not shown proper attention, as a great republic, especially when they know that many proposing to exhibit were refused space; but the only fault to be found, or lying with any party, is to be put upon the shoulders of the American Congress, which, instead of making an appropriation when the space we should require was offered us, constantly neglected the matter, and when the appropriation *was* made allowed it to stand unimproved for so long a time. The result was that when a commissioner was appointed, but very little space could be secured, totally unfit in its extent to meet the demands of exhibitors or to enable that most energetic architect, Mr. Pettit, of Philadelphia, to do anything which could appear in any way commensurate with the honor and greatness of our nation, in such close community with the other governments of the world. From our past experience—especially at Vienna, when through party jealousy, or personal enmity, Mr. Jay, the American Minister, brought about the dissolution of the American Commission, and just four days before the opening there was not a case opened or any person in authority on the grounds, and consequently the whole nation was disgraced—we certainly should have learned a lesson which could never be forgotten, and have made preparation for an exhibition here which would have done real credit to the country. Surely there is no reason under the sun why we should not feel as much pride in this sort of thing as China and Japan, and these countries have already nearly finished their departments, and are each of them making much larger exhibits than they made in Philadelphia. Their goods are magnificent; they are richly and tastefully disposed; besides the space taken in the main building they have each large buildings on the Trocadero side of the river for a Temple and Bazaars.

Yet America, the acknowledged centre of a high civilization, renowned all over the world for its go-aheadativeness, and not outdone by others in its manufactures and inventions, *stands back*—not as people, it is true, but by the acts of the representatives of the people, allows a golden opportunity to slip gradually from its embrace; and then, when it can only prove disgrace and failure, the invitation to cope with all the world in an exhibition of our national wealth and industries is accepted. And now we stand here next in location to England, insignificant compared with what we should have been, holding comparatively the position of a small country fair in America, beside these grand national exhibits. An opportunity is thus lost, which can perhaps never be ours again, of making a display of our industries and natural wealth, which should not only work out a great benefit to the country, but enrich our people faster than in any other way. At Vienna in '76 we were laughed at, and shall we not be at Paris in '78? Let us hope not; but let it be hoped also, that we shall never take part and lot in another Grand Exposition unless there can be a proper amount of national pride and energy put into it to make it worth the effort.

Let us look at what France is doing for herself. But, indeed, just yet we can say but little of what shall yet appear. Two months hence visitors will see the beauty of what is now a sort of melange of riches. The large building appropriated to France alone is entirely finished. The uniform cases are all in order, but only a small proportion of the immense variety of goods to fill the vast space are open, or, at least, in order. Yet to me, I must say, it is a most interesting study to linger about the avenues of their building, and watch the different modes of ornamentation, and arrangements of the various styles of goods and industries. They put so much taste into everything — a loop here, a beautiful flower there, a pyramidal mass of retreat, a tower, or fert, of candles or chocolate — a mass of soap finish. In the furniture section there are mites of elegant apartments, not showing the sets of furniture simply, but the walls of the room covered with an imitation of ancient gobelins; the dados are paneled with antique designs, and the elegant pieces of furniture are not set out for show for their own beauty alone, but are adorned with rare china, bronze and silver gilt pieces, chaste and elegant as French taste can make them. A set for an elegant saloon, or ladies' boudoir, is arranged with hangings of satin and in delicate colors, and caught up with silver cords and rich lace; while for the centre, hang slender, richly-chaste candelabra. Even the leather is beautiful in its arrangement, and by and by when the whole department is completed I will take a general survey and give you the effect, as a bird's-eye view.

To look into the art department for a moment will perhaps afford some satisfaction, but it is far from finished. I have not yet found any American pictures, but yesterday looked through the French galleries, and found therein a perfect exposé of the French style and taste of the French painters, leading one to withdraw from the rooms with a feeling of ghostly horror, as if he had seen Hamlet's ghost or been communing with Macbeth's witches. The general idea running through the mind as the eye wanders from wall to wall, must be, "Oh, how weird, how terrible," for there are innumerable scenes of blood-shed, famine, shipwrecked bodies—everything it seems in history and mythology that could serve for subjects for these horror-loving painters has been drawn forth and worked up by the fertile French mind, till one in walking through their halls becomes steeped with a vision of horror. All Centennial visitors will probably remember the scene in the French gallery there, where Rispah is represented as guarding her sons, who hang on the cross behind her, from the destroying vultures. It seems to me that no one who had once seen it could ever forget the terrible power shown in that woman's—and mother's—spirit, gleaming through her fierce eyes, and the frenzy of soul as painted in every lineament of her face. That picture is one of the mighty creations of which I now write. All the rest partake of the same power, the same grandeur of conception, and the same sad, heart-rending idea. If occasional glimpses of these were caught in the midst of pleasant scenery, and bright portraits, it would not be thus noticeable; but they are the rule, not the exception, and this being the case, one turns with a sigh of relief to the gentle, quiet, meek madonnas, and a few groups of monks, and a glimpse of peasant life here and there. Then, too, the French passion for nude figures is perfectly appalling to the modest American mind, and although there is shown in such pictures the most wonderful delineations of the graceful female form, in all easy positions, and one imagines he could put the hand on the delicately-tinted flesh and feel its warmth and healthy pulsations, there is always a wish that those who excel in this style of painting would keep their pictures out of great public galleries. However, they are accepted as a matter of course, here, and we can go, if we do not enjoy them, to some other part of the collection.

Now, I will stop right here, for fear it will be forgotten, to tell our Boston ladies about seeing the English Princesses yesterday. I judged by a crowd waiting for them that they were in the English Art Gallery, and after a few moments' delay saw the party as they passed back into the English house, where the Prince of Wales has apartments. There were in the company, beside the Prince and Princess of Wales, the Prince of Denmark and Princess, sister of the Princess of Wales, the Princess Louise, and Marquis of Lorne, and several others whose names I did not learn, and I only tell the plain truth when I say they look just like other people and were dressed as plainly. The Princess of Wales wore brown, a soft satin skirt with close pleated ruffles, and camel's hair polonaise, and straight sack, very simple and plain, with bonnet of brown, shirred silk and orange-colored flowers, small clusters in front and at the back, buff kid gloves, undressed kid and brown parasol, and, strangely enough, although the 2d of May, a small muff which she held in one hand. Her sister were a black camel's hair (with no figure) and trimmed with red cords at the neck, a broad sailor's collar and broad cuffs of red, a black straw bonnet with black ribbon, and red poppies. The Princess Louise wore a mauve dress, and carried an elegant bouquet. The Prince of Wales looks finely, and takes a great interest in the British section, working, it is said, himself; they were escorted from the English to the Department of Denmark, and greeted by the commissioners there with great cordiality. The Princess of Wales looks as young and lovely as ever, and I felt well repaid for spending an hour in their train.

All Americans will undoubtedly be interested to hear something about apartments, or hotels, some place to live in being a real necessity. I spent three days in a grand hunt, but many persons have spent two weeks and then not done as well as I have. I am very comfortably settled at a hotel on Rue de Lille, No. 59, a favorite place for English and Americans; but people who wish to stay here must either hunt for themselves or depend on their agents, who are generally very kind and obliging. I can heartily recommend Mr. Spark, on Rue Scribe, under Monroe, the bankers.—*E. D. Southwick, in Boston Traveler.*

### Roba di Roma.

A Bostonian, who has enjoyed extraordinary privileges for seeing sights in Rome not ordinarily exposed to the eye profane, writes as follows to a friend in this city:

I had an invitation to be present at the "consistory" (no ladies admitted) held at the Vatican on the occasion of the presentation of the hat to Cardinal McCloskey. We had met the American cardinal previously at a reception given to him by Mons. Cataldi at his residence. There were between fifty and sixty persons present and it was a most agreeable affair, and the evening passed off delightfully. At 10:30 A. M. we went in the audience hall with some forty or fifty others, including only one American besides myself—all in full evening toilet. Soon after our arrival the procession of the pope and about fifty cardinals entered, and passed through the hall to the "Throne Room;" after a delay of half an hour the doors were reopened and the invited guests, consisting of bishops and priests, entered, and the ceremonies commenced. They were of a most imposing character, and lasted about half an hour. These ended, the procession reformed, passing the length of the entire room, led, as before, by the pope, followed by the cardinals, to a chapel near by, where the services were concluded, and again all passing for the third time. It was a gorgeous array, not soon to be forgotten. I was glad of the opportunity of seeing so much of his holiness, and also of seeing so many cardinals. They are generally infirm old men; several were obliged to be assisted by an attendant on each side. I confess, if I had the casting vote of the conclave, I should have given it to Pope Leo, he appearing to me to be decidedly the superior of all I saw.—*Boston Transcript.*

A SOCIETY has just been started in London, having a twofold object, assisting women to enter the legal profession and teaching the principles of law at schools. At present there is nothing to hinder a woman from practising as a conveyancer, except indeed the rather heavy fees which have to be paid on being articled to a solicitor. This new society proposes to defray in part these fees where there is any lack of means on the part of the intending pupil.

CONSTANT occupation prevents temptation.

### A Quiet Man.

He was rather an uncouth looking individual, and as he sauntered into the store the crowd on the barrels winked at each other, and made remarks about his person.

"Where did it come from?" asked one, pointing at him.

"Somebody left the door open, and it blew in," said another.

"I don't think it's alive," said a third.

"Touch it and see," suggested a fourth.

"Yes, it's a man—see it move?" queried the first.

All hands laugh boisterously.

"I'm a poor man and don't want to have any trouble with anybody. I'm a Christian and don't believe in turmoil and strife, and can't participate in it. I pray you, worldly minded people, that you will permit me to depart in peace," said the new arrival.

One of the crowd, more daring than the rest, hammered the old man's hat down over his eyes, and another dabbed his nose full of molasses from a barrel standing by.

Then the poor Christian took a small volume from his pocket and began reading the Scriptures in a drawling, singsong tone.

While he was engaged at this the crowd played all sorts of tricks on him.

One put some eggs in his pocket, and another mashed them.

Then the biggest man in the house poured some oil on his hat and lighted it.

Then the clerk hit him under the nose with a codfish.

Then that man quietly put the little volume into his coat-tail pocket, and the clerk went head first into the molasses barrel. When the biggest man in the house picked himself from under the counter, it was next to an impossibility to guess where his nose left off and where the codfish began. No. 1 made work for the glazier as he hit a ventilator in the window. No. 2 hatched out half a barrel of eggs, and No. 3 got up on the pie shelf and stayed there. As No. 4 walked out of the door on his back, he wondered how much it would cost to make him as good as new, and the poor Christian man remarked:

"The next time you folks pick me up for a slouch, look out you ain't in the wrong pew. Good day, fellers."

The clerk is waiting for them to come round and settle for the damage done, but they must have forgotten where the place is, as they pass right by without looking in, and their bills remain unpaid.

### John G. Whittier.

This gentleman is one of the purest and sweetest of American poets. His age will be remembered, because his seventieth birthday was commemorated last winter at the *Atlantic* dinner. A more kindly, honorable and virtuous man does not breathe, and his beautiful lyrics, some of them full of the deepest feeling and pathos, are likely to live generations after he has crumbled in the dust. Born at Haverhill, Mass., of Quaker parents, who were farmers, he passed his youth with them, receiving no other education than such as he could get at home. Two years, from 18 to 20, he studied at the academy of the town, and soon after edited, in Boston, the *American Manufacturer*, devoted to the maintenance of the tariff. When 23 he succeeded Prentice as editor of the New England *Review*, published in Hartford, Prentice having been called to Louisville, Ky., to found the *Journal* and advocate the claims of Henry Clay to the Presidency. He made a collection of the early colonial and aboriginal traditions, and published them as "Legends of New England;" served two years in the Massachusetts Legislature, and then returned to the old homestead and the pursuits of a farmer. In common with all the Quakers or Friends he abhorred slavery, and wrote a strong protest against it, and took such an active part in the cause of emancipation, that he was chosen Secretary of the American Anti-Slavery Society, and subsequently editor of the *Pennsylvania Freeman*. For the last twenty-five years he has resided at Amesbury; and devoted himself to literature, published several volumes of poetry, all of which is marked by naturalness, finish, and exquisite sensibility. He is still a bachelor, albeit a man of strictly domestic taste and of the tenderest and most chivalrous feeling for women. It is said that in his early manhood, he loved a charming girl in Philadelphia (she is now the wife of a New York journalist) who did not reciprocate his affection, and to this disappointment his celibacy is ascribed. His slender figure and refined and winning face are familiar through portraits; but none save his intimates know the modest, generous, and loving nature of the man.

AMONG recent deaths in England is that of a man whose memorial is in every lawyer's library. Mr. Thomas Chitty is just dead in his seventy-seventh year. "Chitty's Practice" is nearly as widely known as Blackstone, and is more consulted on practical points. Chitty's legal career began in 1819, "below the bar," nearly sixty years ago. He leaves a son eminent in the legal profession, and a grandson recently admitted to the bar. Thomas Chitty was also the editor of "Burns' Justice." Not only as author, but as practitioner, he was laborious and distinguished, retaining his active habits almost to the last. He was a bright, cheerful, kindly man, and has his best personal memorial in the love and respect of his numerous pupils and friends.—*Philadelphia Ledger.*

A CHICAGO woman drank whisky until she was raving drunk. Her affectionate son gave her chloroform to keep her from harming herself, and she became so quiet as to alarm him. The family physician was called in, and pronounced her as dead as a door-nail. A wake was organized, and the hour for burial was approaching, when the woman opened her eyes and mouth, and asked what all the fuss was about. The funeral was postponed.

His pity gave ere charity began.

SATURDAY.....

**Local Agent.**

☞GEORGE B. MOTT is sole Agent for the ADVOCATE in Sacramento, who will receive and receipt for all advertisements and subscriptions from this date.

## EDITORIAL NOTES.

WHAT IS EXPECTED OF THE COMING CONVENTION.

The people of this State will not patiently suffer imposition, they expect something to be done in their interests; party lines are broken down, people are ready to vote almost any way that promises relief. If they do not get that relief in the new Constitution they will vote it down. The work done by that Convention, if it be ratified by the people, will be the foundation for legislation not only during this decade, but perhaps for generations yet unborn, and the welfare of the State for years to come is at stake. If the Constitution framed shall be such as the people will reject, then the State will have incurred a large and worse than useless debt. It therefore behooves every voter to take a deep interest in electing men well qualified to meet and discharge these duties and responsibilities.

The people of California have pretty well made up their minds that the new Constitution shall declare that all property, including money, notes and other evidences of debt, whether secured by mortgage or not, shall be equally taxed, according to its actual value; that it shall confer all legislation strictly local in its nature to county and city governments; that it shall forbid the granting of subsidies by the State or counties; that it shall forbid any Chinaman from acquiring title to real estate; that the expenses of so many elections shall be avoided and the sessions of the Legislature curtailed; and delegates had as well understand from the very beginning that a Constitution that does not contain such provisions will not be ratified. Of course there are other changes needed in our organic law, but those indicated above are regarded generally as cardinal ones and will be insisted on.

From present indications, many wild and visionary propositions will come before the Convention, and perhaps one of the most important duties of delegates will be to reject all such. The Constitution should give equal and full protection to the persons, property and rights of all citizens of the State, and unless it does that it will be a failure. It should as fully protect the laborer in his rights as the millionaire is protected, and yet it should protect the rich in all their rights as well as the poor.

We believe Chinese immigration to be one of the greatest curses that can be inflicted on our people, and that every honorable effort should be used to prevent it; but so far as we can see, the Constitution of the State can have but very little to do with it. It can prohibit a Chinaman, however, from ever acquiring title to real estate—and that it should do.

OREGON.

A general election throughout the State of Oregon came off on the fifth of this month. From what we can gather from the dispatches the Republicans have elected their Governor, Secretary of State and Treasurer, while the Democrats have elected Whittaker to Congress. It is generally conceded that the Legislature will be Democratic which will give the Democrats a U. S. Senator. The reckless and indifferent manner in which the people voted for Independents, Greenbackers and everybody else shows that the old parties are gradually loosening their holds on the people and that the voters are in nearly every instance casting about them to secure a good man to fill positions of public trust regardless of what his politics have been or are at the time he is a candidate. This is the only true principle upon which a republic can maintain its stability.

The outlook in Europe is now more favorable for peace than it has been in the last four months, still it is not at all settled yet; each of jar in the great Congress of nations soon to be held to settle the matter, there will be one of the grandest wars that the world has ever witnessed from which the United States will reap an exceedingly rich harvest.

## Missouri Items.

[Callaway Gazette, May 31st.]

In Holden last week, a man 76 years, married a lady 22 years old. This young wife may have several children yet.

Ground was broken in Hannibal on the 27th for a street railway, the first in the city. The line is to run from Main street to the stock yards a distance of two and a half miles.

Fifteen hundred immigrants from New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana, passed through Kansas City, Missouri, on the 24th ult., to settle in Kansas.

Some of the Normal School boys in Warrensburg attempted to whip a country boy at school in that place last week. The Normalists are wearing black under their eyes.

A fire broke out in Boonville on the night of the 27th. The water gave out and fears were entertained that the whole block would be burned. Losses not known.

A fatal shooting affray occurred late on the evening of the 24th, about three miles east of Lexington, Missouri, on the old Hickton place. Levi Sires was shot and instantly killed by his eldest son, James.

Samuel J. Winfrey, who was tried in Chariton county sometime since for the killing of John Steinback on the 15th day of July, 1876, was again tried on the 22nd inst. for the same offence, the jury having hung on the first trial. Col. George Vest was added to the defense on the last trial and is said to have made one of the ablest efforts of his life. The jury brought in a verdict on the 25th of, not guilty. Winfrey was a member of company H, Gordon't regiment of Shelby's old brigade. Steinback is the third man he has killed in self-defence.

Married—May 22d, James T. Atkinson to Miss J. Bell, Forqueran.

Died—May 26th, Mrs. Eugie Hensley, of Fulton; May 23d, Lenora Bell.

[Hannibal Courier May 30th.]

Four men were robbed on the steamer Rob Roy on Saturday night and several hundred dollars and a number of gold watches were got away with. Two of the sufferers were from Canton.

The hardware store of J. W. Eaton at Palmyra was burglarized of $200 worth of goods Saturday night by a gang of small boys.

A man in Montgomery county recently shipped 200 red birds to Europe, and since has received an order for 2,000 more.

The dwelling of Louis Powell, in Boone county, was burglarized one night this week. The thieves succeeded in capturing $1,100.

A beautiful example of the force of habit is to see a Muprphyite fill his glass with water and dreamily blow the froth off the innocent water before drinking.

The thieving epidemic continues. Our city seems overrun with tramps, vagabonds, and thieves, and scarcely a morning dawns that does not bring to light the thieving operations of the bold gang of depredators now infesting Hannibal.

Elder John A. Brooks, of Mexico, Mo., was elected to the Presidency of the Christian University, of Canton, Mo., the State institution of his denomination, but declined to accept the honorable position, preferring to remain with his flock in Mexico.

The flood that fell at Fort Scott last Saturday, was the most disastrous that had fallen there for years. The bottom lands were overflowed, crops destroyed, bridges carried away, and a few houses entirely under water. The water is still rising, and now covers an area of many miles, and in some places it is very deep.

Mr. Roy Barracks, a brother of the missing Mrs. Maud Lord, of Quincy, has returned from an unsuccessful attempt to find her trail is to be published in the ing journals.

Two tramps were admitted to a house in Peoria the other morning and provided with a good breakfast. When they came out one of them was seen to draw a piece of chalk out of his pocket and make a cross on the gate post. The lady's attention was called to it, and it was erased. Such is the gratitude a tramp manifests for a favor. He leaves a sign, which is understood by all other tramps to mean "Here is a victim; go in and get a square meal."

Died—May 29th, Lizzie M., daughter of Thos W. and Annie B. Hawkins, aged 11 years; May 25th, Deacon Edwin D. Godfrey, aged 64 years.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

CACHEVILLE, MAY 31st, 1878.

ED: ADVOCATE:—For months your "Hannah" has been mute, her silver tongue has not mingled with the literary melody of the times, and consequently much anxiety has been felt regarding her welfare. The fact is, she has felt it unsafe to dip her unpretentious pen too deep into the ink of social matters lest she should blot her fair name forever. But now the stylish young man who ornated his fascinating form with a "borrowed neck-tie" has decamped with the intended spouse of the love-sicken dupe, and the latter has secured comfortable quarters in Stockton, while the unfortunate hero of the railroad mishap is preparing for a journey to the Cannibal isles. When your "Hannah" saw these things she rejoiced and once more ventured into society, Selah; she was free from the clutches of these vile enemies. Donning her paraphernalia she once more essayed to glimmer with the dazzling sunbeams. Happy thought! Church Festival! jolly time. For the first time your "Hannah" was asked to pay a quarter for the privilege of "squandering" all she had if she saw fit; of course every body had to pay for this glorious privilege. But the feast was fit for the gods, and the waiters (God bless them says Hannah), were angels ready made for Heaven. But the young men who attended were the worst assortment of human substitutes I ever had the misfortune to encounter. They were not satisfied with spending their money and having a good time for the benefit of some one else, but insisted on closing the affair with a social dance; but boys will be boys and must have their fun at whatever sacrifice.

"Hannah" was not a little surprised at the pretentious efforts of the abominable Workingmen to form a club in Cacheville. H. W. Atwell must think that because he is honest and capable he is just as good as a millionaire. This shows what strange ideas some people have. Is the laborer worthy of his (s)ire?

Jones of Cacheville is the unhappy owner of a phonograph; he keeps the machine in his office and when business calls him away he is in the habit of trusting to the confidant the nature of his errand for the benefit of those who may call in his absence. The other evening his loving wife called at his office and found him absent; she gave the telltale a turn and a strangely feminine voice responded —"The old man will be away this evening, Mr. Jones; please call." Tableaux! A broken home circle, a broken head and a demolished phonograph. HANNAH.

HUDSON, MICHIGAN, May 30, 1878.

ED. ADVOCATE and friends of Winters, it is now nearly eleven months since I left the little village of Winters for my former home in Michigan. I hope it will not be many more months until I can see my home and friends in California; I received last evening three numbers of the Winters ADVOCATE which enlightened me very much, it seemed almost like visiting with friends, when you are three thousand miles from home Mr. Editor, and receive your own village paper, you will then know how pleased I am to receive the ADVOCATE.

MRS. M. SHAW.

## Clippings from our Exchanges

Yreka advices of the 19th state that Dick Humphries, mail carrier and expressman between Happy Camp and Fort Jones, was robbed on the 18th, near Meanders. One thousand dollars in the express and the mail lost.

The Democratic Convention at Ukiah, Mendocino county, elected J. A. Knox, L. S. Sullivan and W. J. Hildreth Delegates to the Sacramento Convention, and put F. O. Townsend in nomination for the Constitutional Convention.

The Presidents of the Seven Farmer's and Mechanics' Club of Ventura, will meet on the 25th to nominate a Delegate to the Constitutional Convention. This organization is opposed to unequal taxation, but is not identified with Kearneyism, nor does it trouble about the Chinese.

The Monterey Board of Supervisors has advertised for tenders for the construction of a new railroad and county bridge across the Salinas river near Castroville.

E. W. Gibbs, the wife murderer who escaped from Eureka prison, Humboldt county, has been captured. He is under sentence to the State Prison for fifteen years.

Wm. Nicoll, of Gold Hill, while on his way to Bodie, and near the latter place, fell off the stage. The wheel passed over him, and crushed him so seriously that he died the next day.

H. R. W. Clark, lawyer, of San Francisco, was accidentally shot by his son Frederick, on the 19th at his rauch, Ignacio valley, Contra Costa county. The young man had a finger blown off.

The body of a man, badly decomposed, was found on the beach, near Lagoon point, Ventura. Before the Coroner held an inquest it was washed out to sea.

The non-partizans at Niles elected F. M. Dallam, William Pierce, and William Whidden Delegates to the county Convention of the No-Party Convention.

The Solano grand jury reports that it found all the public officers correct, but censures the justices and constables for the creation of so many petty cases. The Governor has appointed the following Bank Commissioners: Robt Watt, of Marin; E. J. Coleman, of San Francisco; and James T. Murphy, of Santa Clara.

The Marin County Workingmen's Convention met at San Rafael on the 18th, and adjourned for a week without nominating a candidate for the Constitutional Convention.

## BORN.

McNARLAN—Near Winters, June 1, 1878, to William McNarlan and wife a daughter.


NEW THIS WEEK.

**MACK WEBBER,**
DRUGGIST AND APOTHECARY,
DEALER IN
**Perfumeries, Toilet Articles,**
FINE HAVANA CIGARS, ETC.,
(One door west of Express Office.)
MAIN STREET, : : : WOODLAND.

CONSTANTLY IN STORE a fresh supply of DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS, GLASS, ETC.
FINE QUALITIES OF **Wines and Brandy** FOR MEDICINAL PURPOSES ONLY.
Physicians' Prescriptions carefully compounded at all hours of the day or night.
A SPLENDID SODA FOUNTAIN, FURNISHED WITH THE CHOICEST SYRUPS.
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**Craft House Saloon,**
MAIN STREET, : : : WOODLAND.
JAMES ERINK, Proprietor.
HAVING PURCHASED the above well known saloon, would be pleased to see all my friends. The finest brands of CIGARS, WINES AND LIQUORS,
Constantly on Hand.
—ALSO—
TWO FIRST-CLASS BILLIARD TABLES.
Don't forget the place, next door to the Craft House.
☞Give me a call. je8 tf

**County Convention**
—OF THE—
WORKINGMEN'S PARTY.

A Call is hereby issued for a County Convention of the Workingmen's Party of Yolo County to be held in Woodland on
**Saturday, June 8th 1878,**
At the hour of 10 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of agreeing upon proposed amendments to the Constitution of the State of California and to select men to represent the people as Delegates in the Constitutional Convention.

APPORTIONMENT OF DELEGATES.

The apportionment of Delegates to the County Convention will be as follows: Each County Club will be entitled to one delegate at large and one additional delegate for every fifteen members on its roll and one for every fraction of eight and over; where no Club has been formed in a precinct it shall be the duty of the nearest Club to select one good man, a proper person to represent the precinct in the Convention.
E. FOLLETT, Chairman.
B. B. PIERMONT, Secretary. my25

MISCELLANEOUS.

**THOMAS and BIDWELL,**
**GROCERS,**
WOODLAND, YOLO COUNTY, CAL,
OFFER THE FOLLOWING SPECIALTIES
—FROM THEIR—
**Large & Complete Stock**
—AND—
Guarantee the Quality to be Just as Represented!

COFFEES.
Green Java, Mocha, Costa Rica and Rio—Ground, Thomas & Bidwell's Java, Folger's and Guitard's "Cafe de Gourmand."

TEAS.
Japan English Breakfast, Gunpowder, Young Hyson, Imperial, and Basket Fired Japan.

EASTERN SYRUP.
White Crystal Drips Maple Drips and Genuine New Orleans Molasses.

HAMS.
Whittaker's Star Hams, the best in the Market. For Sale by the Single Ham or by the Tierce.

FLOUR.
Woodland, Knight's Landing and Madison Brands.

CROCKERY.
We have the Most Complete and Varied Assortment in Yolo County.

**THOMAS & BIDWELL**
EXCELSIOR BLOCK,
WOODLAND. my11

**FARMERS TAKE NOTICE.**
JACKSON'S
**GRAIN LIFTERS**
ARE MANUFACTURED AND SOLD BY
**Marcus C. Hawley & Co.,**
SAN FRANCISCO AND SACRAMENTO.
AS THIS PROMISES TO BE A SEASON OF
MUCH LODGED GRAIN,
WE WILL BE SUPPLIED WITH
**A Large Stock**
TO MEET THE DEMAND, AND SOLICIT ORDERS FROM
ALL FARMERS WISHING THEM.
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**S. T. Pendegast & Co**
Wish to call the attention of their friends of
WINTERS AND VICINITY
That they have added to their Stock of
**BOOTS and SHOES**
A FULL LINE OF
**Gents' Clothing,**
**Furnishing Goods,**
HATS, Etc.
WHICH THEY ARE PREPARED TO
**Sell as Cheap**
—AS ANY—
HOUSE IN THE COUNTY.
GIVE US A CALL AND SEE IF WE
MEAN WHAT WE SAY.
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LOT FOR SALE.

LOT NO. 16, IN BLOCK 1, CORNER LOT, IN the town of Winters, for sale at a reasonable price. Apply at the Winters ADVOCATE office. feb16-tf

**$57.60** AGENTS profits per week. Will prove it or forfeit $500. New article. Just patented. Samples sent free to all. Address W. H. CHIDESTER, 206 Fulton st., N. Y. feb23-6m

WINTERS ADVERTISEMENTS.

**Fassett's**
FRUIT AND VEGETABLE
**Store,**
MAIN STREET, : : WINTERS
FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.
RECEIVED DAILY AND
**Furnished to Families**
AND OTHERS
AT REASONABLE RATES
☞GIVE US A CALL.
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**E. E. STACY,**
WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER,
POSTOFFICE BUILDING, MAIN ST.
WINTERS.
IS NOW READY TO REPAIR
WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY, PISTOLS, GUNS: ETC.
ALL WORK GUARANTEED
☞Come and see me at the Postoffice Building. my11

**Bricklaying, Plastering AND WHITENING.**
The undersigned wishes to inform the PUBLIC GENERALLY That he is prepared to do BRICKLAYING, WHITENING, JOBBING AND PLASTERING,
—WITH—
NEATNESS AND WORKMANLIKE.
For further reference apply to
PLUMMER & WARD, CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS, OR
Dr. W. T. Bell, WINTERS.
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**ARCADE HOTEL**
AT DIXON, CAL.
P. WILLOTT.....PROPRIETOR.
HAVING JUST PURCHASED THIS WELL known and popular hotel, I propose to carry it on as
A FIRST CLASS HOTEL,
Furnishing all the accommodations of a well supplied Table, Comfortable Rooms, etc.
**THE BAR**
I ask special attention to, as I shall make it my specialty to keep the very best of
WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS.
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**T. M. PRIOR,**
HARNESS AND SADDLE MAKER,
Two doors West of Express Office,
WOODLAND, CAL.
ONLY IMPORTER FROM THE EAST.
EVERYTHING IN MY LINE
CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
Or Made to Order.
AND SOLD AT
**Lowest Living Rates**
ALSO IMPORTER OF
EASTERN MADE BUGGIES.
SOLE AGENT FOR THE
**Centennial Buggy Top.**
—AND—
Magic Adjustable Tip for Whips.
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**DIXON BAKERY**
MAIN STREET, DIXON,
KOEHLER & GRUENIG, : PROPS.
WILL VISIT WINTERS
Every Wednesday
WITH FRESH
BREAD, CAKES, PIES, CRACKERS,
AND EVERYTHING IN THE
**Bakery Business.**
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DIXON BREWERY
DIXON, CAL.
SIEBER & OVERHOLZER, : : Props.
**Superior Beer**
ALWAYS ON HAND AND
Moderate Charges.

STRAYED.

A BAY HORSE WITH WHITE BACK; saddle marks on back and branded "83" on left hip; unshod and on a halter, and picket rope when last seen. Send information of him to my18-1m J. A. COLLIER, Vacaville.

WINTERS ADVERTISEMENTS.

**Occidental Hotel,**
CORNER ABBY AND RAILROAD STREETS, WINTERS, CAL.
D. P. EDWARDS, : Proprietor
HAVING TAKEN POSSESSION OF
**This Favorite Hotel**
I AM NOW PREPARED TO OFFER THE TRAVELING AND RESIDENT PUBLIC,
**First-Class Board.**
LARGE AND WELL FURNISHED ROOMS BY THE
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**The Table**
WILL BE AT ALL TIMES SUPPLIED WITH
THE BEST THE MARKET AFFORDS.
No Chinese Cooks Employed.
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**HARLING, LOWRY & CO.,**
DEALERS IN
**DRY GOODS,**
GROCERIES, CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES,
And in fact every ning that is to be found in a well regulated General Merchandise Store.
PURCHASERS OF
**Wool and Grain.**
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**F. B. CHANDLER,**
DEALER IN
**LUMBER,**
AND ALL KINDS OF
BUILDING MATERIAL,
Elmira, Solano Co., Winters, Yolo Co., and Madison, Yolo Co. California
☞ALL OUR STOCK PURCHASED DIRECT FROM THE MANUFACTURERS. nov24-tf

J. PLUMMER. F. P. WARD.
**Plummer & Ward, Builders and Contractors.**
WINTERS, YOLO CO. CAL.
JOBBING PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.
OFFICE AT PARKER HOUSE.
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WOODLAND ADVERTISEMENTS.

A. BUTZ,
**ARTIST TAILOR**
WEST OF CRAFT HOUSE, WOODLAND, CAL.
GOOD FITS GUARANTEED.
CHARGES MODERATE, ALL WORK WARRANTED.
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WOODLAND BREWERY,
LINCOLN AVENUE, WOODLAND
GEO. L. WORTH, - - - - PROP.
**GOOD BEER**
DELIVERED TO CUSTOMERS,
—AND—
Charges MOderate.
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CHRIST SIEBER.....Proprietor.
THE BEST OF
WINES, LIQUORS, AND CIGARS;
OPPOSITE THE COLLEGE,
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CLERK OF YOLO COUNTY.
Office at the Court House,
ap13 WOODLAND, CAL.

R. W. MEGOWAN,
COUNTY RECORDER OF YOLO COUNTY
Office in Court House,
ap13 WOODLAND, CAL.

# THE WINTERS ADVOCATE.

LOCAL EDITOR,.....R. CLARK.


## NOTICE.

DAMOCLES LODGE NO. 33, K. OF P.

THE REGULAR MEETINGS OF DAMOCLES LODGE, No 33, K. of P. take place every 1st and 3rd THURSDAYS of each month, at 7 o'clock, sharp.

By the Order of
EDWARD FISHER, C. C.
W. P. WOMACK, K. of R. and S nov18-tf.

### POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mail closes daily at the Post Office at Winters for Madison and Capay at 8:15 o'clock, A. M. daily.

For Sacramento, North and East, and San Francisco, South and West, daily at 1 o'clock, P. M.

OFFICE HOURS,

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dec1 LORENZO MOODY, Postmaster.

## LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

My connection with the ADVOCATE as Local Editor ceases with this issue.

R. CLARK.

SABBATH SERVICES.—Rev. Mr. Culton will preach at the C. P. Church, every Sunday, morning and evening, at the usual hours. Sabbath School at 9 A. M. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evenings. Choir meeting Saturday evenings.

Rev. H. C. Culton of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Winters, will preach at Madison on Sunday evening, 26th inst.

Services at the M. E. Church South, Rev. J. K. Price, pastor, first and third Sundays of the month, morning and evening. Sabbath School at 9 A. M. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evenings. Services at Davisville second and fourth Sundays of the month.

Services at the Christian Church, second and fourth Sundays by Elder Dunton, and third Sunday of the month by Elder Smith of the Baptist Church

CARD OF THANKS.—The undersigned, after a fit of illness lasting nearly four months, hopes to be able to resume his duties the coming week, and in the meantime takes this opportunity of returning his heartfelt thanks for the kindness and sympathy manifested toward him by friends of Winters and vicinity. Especially would he enumerate Dr J. D. Gregory, to whose unremitting attention, aided by the efficient nursing of Mrs L Warnock, he is indebted, under God, for the privilege of remaining yet a few years at most, in the land of the living. He also returns heartfelt thanks to Mr. and Mrs. John Parker, of the Parker House; Mr D. P. and Miss Lilly Edwards, of the Occidental Hotel; Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Brock; Mrs. J hn and S. C. Wolf-kill; S. O'Rce and the many friends whose kindness during his affliction will be cherished in memory while life shall last.

M H. MCRAE,
Editor Winters ADVOCATE.

A MISTAKE.—The young man, the nice young man mentioned by the Yolo Democrat as stealing a dog at this place, claims to be a resident of the town of Woodland and we doubt not was a prominent candidate for the Constitutional Convention. Being defeated in his aspirations he concluded that his chances for stealing anything in a political direction were forever blighted; that hope had fled; that his sun had set; that an ungrateful constituency had consigned him to an early political grave, hence he taketh away the cunning canine; yea, at the dead hour of night with malice prepense and aforethought, did maliciously and designedly capture, tote, whoodle, bamboozle, coax and carry away said dog. In fact there is no telling what a defeated candidate will not do.

WOODLAND ADS.—It will be seen by notice in another column that Mack Webber, druggist and apothecary, keeps on hand a full line of all articles pertaining to a first class drug store, also fine cigars and a soda fountain for the cooling off of the over-heated citizens of our country town. Give him a call.

It will also be seen that the Craft Saloon has changed hands, James Brink, formerly of the Crescent City Saloon, Sacramento, having become proprietor by purchase. Mr. Brink is well posted in his line of business, and those who patronize him will be satisfied of the fact and be constrained to call again.

JES SO.—Brown's idea was to find out how much water the tank would hold, so he asked the question of the party who had the tank on his wagon, this way, "What does that tank hold?" The party seemed to take a thorough mental inventory of John, looked at him closely. John stood awaiting an answer impatiently; the man gave him one more look and slowly replied that the tank held water. John subsided, wet up some of the listeners and is now firmly convinced of the fact that the man was right.

HOW THINGS ARE.—Our town is gradually filling up with good substantial citizens. Improvements of a permanent and substantial nature are noticeable in various quarters. Our school is flourishing; our churches are well patronized. The various branches of trade all seem to be doing well; everyone seems to be satisfied and happy with his lot. In fact we are now on a firmer, sounder basis than we have been since we started as a town and from now on we hope to see all prosper.

THOMAS & BIDWELL.—Parties visiting Woodland wishing to lay in a supply of groceries would do well to call at the store of Thomas & Bidwell, where they can find anything in that line. They have also first class clerks, who are accommodating. As for our young friend, Tuad. Spalding, we all know his qualities, he is obliging, and we think Messrs. Thomas & Bidwell did well when they selected Thad.

DIDN'T THEY RUN.—Jack Campbell our enterprising drayman seems to be out of luck; this is the third runaway we have noticed within the last month. This time the horses took in the whole town and succeeded in entirely demolishing the wagon. Luckily Jack Campbell escaped unhurt as did the horses, with the exception of a few scratches. If we were Jack we would trade that black filly for a dog and then shoot the dog.

## Brevities.

Hundreds of car loads of fruit and vegetables are now being shipped from this place.

Headers are being started in many fields.

But few idle men in town that will work.

The inevitable "drunk-roller" watcheth like unto the festive buzzard for his prey on Saturday and Sunday; parasites on the body politic.

A. Woods was fined $20 for battery by Justice Hulse, on Monday last.

Occidental is much improved by the new coat of paint.

H. L. & Co.'s front is greatly improved by painting.

Livery stables doing a good business. Hotels ditto.

Sewell, Laycock and Jeans are the appraisers of the estate of J. Williams, deceased.

The Workingmen have nominated Montgomery of the Solano Republican as Joint Delegate for Yolo and Solano; he is a newspaperman and is sound on the goose.

Abe Morris of Woodland showed up this week.

"Hannah" tells a racy story of Cacheville doings this week.

The engine Solano of the Cal. P. R. R. is now doing duty on the V. V. R. R.; sounds like business.

Members of Winters Lodge, No. 243, I. O. O. F., will please take notice that a meeting will be held on next Tuesday evening, June 11th, 1878. All members are requested to be present as there is business of importance to be attended to. By order of the N. G.

Loomis, the mighty book agent speaks long, low and confidentially in the ear of the granger, even all over the land. He has a good book. We bought it and one thing we can say, although we have not read it, as there is about 100,000 pages in the four volumes, that whatever it lacks in ability and information it makes up in size.

Several heading and threshing crews have been collected together in the last few days preparatory to reaping the abundant harvest that is now nearly ready for the sickle.

When you see a young man with his hair parted in the middle, a red rose pinned to his coat front, a few pinks stuck in the band of his hat, with an odor indescribable about him, you may know he is on the "ragged edge," something is bound to happen sure unless he takes the measles right off.

A farmer residing near town in sinking a well the other day, at a depth of 62 feet struck the skeleton of some kind of an extinct animal. It is curious in its natural formation, a petrified piece of wood found with it bears the legend in Arabic—"S. T. 1860, X." On the reverse side in the ancient Hebrew is "Use only Oil of Gladness." Our opinion is that the skeleton belongs to a book or advertising agent whom the farmer has thrown into the well to get rid of him.

The Workingmen of Winters contemplate a rousing ratification meeting on or about the 15th of June 1878, at this place. Let everybody from both counties that sympathise with the cause come and aid in the good work of redemption from political misrule.

On Thursday a man engaged in stacking hay on the ranch of George Hurlbut we learn was prostrated by a sun stroke and died the same evening.

The family of E. Perry left town on Thursday, after a residence here of two years. They will hereafter reside in Vallejo.

Saul Hock raffled a fine silver watch on Thursday night; John Shovall was the lucky man, 43 carrying away the prize.

The petition for a bridge across Putah creek at Winters, in connection with Solano county and the V. V. and C. L. R. R. will have a hearing on Tuesday next at Woodland.

Two four horse wagons with three families passed through town on Thursday from Santa Rosa bound for Washington Territory. There is plenty of room for them there, millions of acres of government land awaiting development. Time is near when the northwestern coast will be the most valuable and densely populated part of the Pacific as it is susceptible of sustaining a greater population for the reason that a greater diversity of industries can be maintained.

FIRE.—One day last week somebody threw the stump of a cigar near the barn of Rev. Colton now in course of construction; the breeze fanned it to a flame and only for the timely noticing of the fire by some of our citizens the barn would have been burned before it was finished. It is a wonder that there is not a fire every day, as cigar stumps are carelessly thrown any place that the smoker happens to be. Be careful good people.

ERROR.—It was not Jack's team that ran away this time so we are informed, the resemblance to the animals deceived us. We are informed it was the team of D. P. Edwards; however, that team of Jacks looks very suspicious and we think that the item will apply next week at the furthest.

NOTICE.—Having disposed of our interest in the merchandise business in Winters, we respectfully request all those indebted to us to come forward and settle their accounts by note or cash immediately.

BLUM & Co.

### HELP THE BOYS.

THE YOUTH'S DIRECTORY, a Free Home and Intelligence Bureau, established by the citizens of San Francisco for the benefit of friendless boys seeking employment has on hand at all times a great number of good lads willing to work by contract for the lowest wages offered. No office fee.

A. P. DIETZ, Superintendent,
1417 Howard Street, San Francisco.

### CONSUMPTION CURED.

An old physician retired from active practice, having had placed in his hands by an East Indian missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma, and all Throat and Lung affections also a positive and radical cure for General Debility and all nervous complaints, after having thoroughly tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, deems it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. The recipe will be sent free of charge, to all who desire it, with full directions for preparing and successfully using. Address with stamp naming this paper, Dr. J. C. STORM, 44 North Ninth Street, Philadelphia, Pa. nov8-6m

My business at Suisun having more than doubled, I have been unable to visit my branch office as often as usual. My next visit to Winters will be for two weeks; persons wishing to engage my services will do well to make their appointments early, as I shall be very busy, a greater part of the time having been already engaged. Dr. W. C. Harding will be at

Rio Vista, 20th to 29th May.
Suisun, 30th May to 3d June.
San Francisco, 4th to 8th June.
Suisun, 10th to 22d June.
Winters, 24th June to 6th July.
Suisun, 8th to 20th July.
Madison, 22d July to 3d Aug.
Suisun, 5th to 17th Aug.

Address all communications to office at Suisun.

### COURT CALENDAR.

The Courts of Yolo County are held as follows:

There are three terms of the District Court, commencing on the third Monday of January, May and September. The Law Day for each of these terms is held on the tenth day next preceding the commencement of each of the said terms.

There are also held three Special Equity Terms of said Court, commencing on the third Monday of March, July and November.

There are four terms of the County Court, commencing on the first Monday of January, April, July and October.

There are also held four terms of the Probate Court, commencing on the respective days of the County Court, of which the County Judge is ex-officio Judge of the Probate Court, which is always open and in session for most business connected with the settlement of estates of deceased persons, and business of guardians.

The Board of Supervisors hold their regular session on the second Monday of each month.

### LIST OF YOLO CO. POSTOFFICES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Woodland, [County Seat] | Louis Walker |
| Winters | L. Mooney |
| Cacheton | S. J. Pratt |
| Yolo | Geo F. Wherry |
| Davisville | L. C. Drummond |
| Madison | Henry Craner |
| Capay | E. E. Perkins |
| Black's Station | C. S Huston |
| Dunnigan | Z J Brown |
| Plainfield | A Woldorf |

### ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from nervous debility; Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and direction for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence,
feb23 6m JOHN B OGDEN, 42 Cedar St., N. Y.

### PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, inclose 3 cent stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 20 Ann st. N. Y.

### TRANSPARENT TEACHING CARDS.

Instruction and Amusement combined. Important to parents and teachers. 25 different artistic designs. The entire pack sent free for 25 cents currency or stamps. Van Delf & Co. Ann St. N.Y. feb23.6m


## Empire Brewery,

MAIN STREET, WINTERS.

B. MOONEY,
LATE OF POPE VALLEY

HAS NOW OPENED AND REFITTED
IN BEAUTIFUL STYLE
—THE—
Old Empire Brewery
ON MAIN STREET,
AND IS NOW PREPARED TO
Receive his Friends.

ALSO WHERE YOU CAN FIND THE BEST
WINES,
LIQUORS,
AND CIGARS.

ALSO AGENT FOR
LYONS' BEER,
A FULL SUPPLY ALWAYS ON HAND.
Give Him a Call.
jel-tf


### TIME TABLE

V. V. AND C. L. R. R.

TO TAKE EFFECT MAY 30th, 1878.

| GOING SOUTH, No. 1. | A. M. | GOING NORTH. No. 2. | A. M. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Leaves Madison, | 6:45 | Leaves Elmira, | 10:40 |
| " Winters, | 6:55 | " Vacaville, | 11:50 |
| " Vacaville, | 7:55 | " Winters, | 11:59 |
| Arrive Elmira, | 7:30 | | P. M. |
| No 3. | P. M. | Arrive Madison, No 4 | 12:30 |
| Leaves Madison, | 3:10 | Leaves Elmira, | 7:40 |
| " Winters, | 3:55 | " Vacaville, | 8:00 |
| " Vacaville, | 4:45 | " Winters, | 8:40 |
| Arrive Elmira, | 5:05 | Arrive Madison, | 9:15 |

Fruit Train Leaves Winters at 10:45 a. m.; Vacaville, 2:15 p. m.

G. B. STEVENSON,
Gen. Supt. V. V. and C. L. R. R.


TURNERS'
BARBER SHOP,
MAIN STREET, ADJOINING THE ADVOCATE OFFICE.

Where he is prepared to do all work in his line, and hopes by
Strict Attention to Business,
TO MERIT PUBLIC PATRONAGE.

Rates.

| | |
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| Hair Cutting | 25 cts. |
| Shaving | 25 cts. |
| Shampooing | 25 cts. |

Ladies' and Children's Hair Cutting
AND SHAMPOOING,
A SPECIALTY.
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TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, [free of charge], with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE FOR CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Parties wishing the perscription, will please address,
E. A. WILSON, 194 Penn. St. Williamsburg, N.Y.
feb23-6m

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Blum & Co.,
DEALERS IN
Grain and Grain Bags
ALSO AGENT FOR
ÆTNA INSURANCE Company.
WE INSURE
All Kinds of Property
AT THE LOWEST RATES.
WE MAKE
STANDING GRAIN AND GRAIN IN WAREHOUSES A SPECIALITY.
OFFICE IN THE
POSTOFFICE BUILDING.
WINTERS, YOLO CO. CAL.
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WINTERS
Livery and Feed
STABLE

HAS CHANGED HANDS AND REMOVED TO THE NORTH SIDE OF MAIN SREET,
WINTERS,
First-Class Turnouts
ON SHORT NOTICE.
HORSES BOARDED.
At Reasonable Rates
TRANSIENT CUSTOM SOLICITED.
my4-tf BOWEN BROS.

BUCK HORN
Sample Rooms,
MAIN STREET, WINTERS.
J. MURRAY & CO., : : Props.
WE HAVE CONSTANTLY ON HAND THE FINEST
WINES, LIQOURS AND CIGARS.
DON'T FORGET THE PLACE,
BUCK HORN
SAMPLE ROOMS,
MAIN STREET, WINTERS.
my4-tf

BUCKEYE SALOON,
MAIN ST. WINTERS.
JAMES BARGER.....PROPRIETOR
CONSTANTLY ON HAND
Fine Wines, Liquors,
LAGER BEER AND CIGARS.
A Fine Monitor Table
IN THE SALOON.
my18-tf

PIANO AND ORGAN PLAYING LEARNED IN A DAY.

Mason's Charts, which recently created such a sensation in Boston and elsewhere, will enable any person, of any age, to
Master the Piano or Organ
in a day, even though they have no knowledge of notes, etc

"You can learn to play on the Piano or Organ in a day, eve if you never played before, and have not the slightest knowledge of notes, by the use of Mason's charts."—Boston Globe.

"All you claim for them"—Pub Christian Union. "To music what the multiplication table is to arithmetic"—Dexter Smith. "Never said one which didn't give satisfaction."—Pub Folio. "A wonderful invention"—Musical Visitor. "Any one may in a day or two learn to play in a manner which would require a year's tuition in the old fashioned way"—Atlanta Independent. "Really appear to be all that is claimed for them"—Sunny South. "Curious invention. Hard times don't affect its sale"—Atlanta Constitution. "A child ten years old can learn to play correctly in a single day."—Memphis Ledger. "Vastly superior to anything heretofore attempted"—Our Church Paper. "Hundreds of dollars saved by its use."—So. Plantation. "The charts will do all that is claimed for them."—Rev. A. L. Dennison. "Wonderful."—Masonic Jewel. "Simple and complete."—Memphis Avalanche.

Our large circular sent to any applicant containing scores of similar testimonials, a full set of Charts, and a rare book entitled "Slugfug Made Easy," will be sent free by mail on receipt of only $2. Agents wanted. Address
A. C. MORTON & CO.,
Atlanta, Ga.

WINTERS ADVERTISEMENTS.

Parker House
RAILROAD STREET, BET. MAIN AND RUSSELL, WINTERS.
FIRST-CLASS
Board and Lodging
—BY THE—
DAY OR WEEK,
AT REASONABLE RATES.
AT THE BAR
CAN ALWAYS BE FOUND THE CHOICEST
WINES,
LIQUORS,
AND CIGARS.
jel-tf

Mrs. Fitzgerald's
MILLINERY STORE,
CORNER OF FIRST AND MAIN STS.
WINTERS.
HAS OPEN HER
SPRING STOCK
WITH ALL THE
LATEST STYLES.
SHE HOPES TO CONTINUE THE PATRONAGE OF
WINTERS
AND THE
SURROUNDING VICINITY.
mh30-tf

V. MORRIS.
MANAGER GRANGER'S WAREHOUSE,
Weighing and Storing
RECEIVING AND FORWARDING
At Very Low Prices.
ALSO AGENT FOR THE FOLLOWING INSURANCE COMPANIES

| | CAPITAL. |
|---|---|
| North American | $ 5,200,000 |
| American Fire | 1 100,000 |
| London and Lancashire Fire | 5,000,000 |
| Pennsylvania Fire | 1,560,000 |
| Niagara Fire | 1,450,000 |
| Royal Fire | 18,000 000 |

INSURE ALL KINDS OF PROPERTY,
GRAIN IN SACKS or STANDING IN FIELDS.
ALSO AGENT FOR
FARMERS MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.
I WOULD RESPECTFULLY solicit a share of the patronage of those desiring anything in my line,
my18 6m V. MORRIS.

O. C.
The Oriole Saloon,
MAIN STREET, WINTERS.
HAS THE BEST
WINES,
LIQUORS,
AND CIGARS.
AND THE ONLY
Billiard Table in Town.
TRY SOME OF JIM'S BEST DRINK.
HE CAN ALWAYS BE FOUND
BEHIND THE BAR.
my13-tf CHAFE,

NOTICE.
TO THE PUBLIC OF
WINTERS AND VICINITY,
—THAT I—
MEAN BUSINESS
AND I PROPOSE TO DO
Work in my Line
FOR THE FOLLOWING PRICES:

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| One Set New Horse shoes | $2 25 |
| " " Old Horseshoes | 1 50 |
| " " Reducer Wagon Tires | 3 50 |
| " " Spring Wagon Tires | 4 00 |
| " " Buggy Tires | 3 00 |

ALL REPAIRING REDUCED ACCORDINGLY, SUCH AS
HEAVY BOLTS AND ROD, Door and Gate Hinges 12 1-2 CENTS PER POUND.
ED. HAYES, BLACKSMITH.
my25

MADISON ADVERTISEMENTS.

MADISON HOTEL
C. M. HURLBUT, Proprietor.
FIRST-CLASS
Board and Lodging
AT REASONABLE RATES.
THE BAR
IS SUPPLIED WITH THE BEST OF
WINES
LIQUORS,
AND CIGARS.
NONE BUT WHITE COOKS AND WAITERS EMPLOYED.
COME AND SEE ME. sep29-tf

S. Wootten. J. E. Wootten.
S. WOOTTEN and SON.
Golden State Mills,
MADISON, YOLO CO., CAL.
THIS MILL IS NEW THROUGHOUT AND is now prepared to do all kinds of milling in first-class style.
FLOUR,
GRAIN,
CORN MEAL,
GROUND FEED, Etc.
At Lowest Rates.
ALL ORDERS ADDRESSED TO
GOLDEN STATE MILLS
Will Receive Prompt Attention.
oct27-tf

PIONEER SALOON
And Lodging House.
H. McCONLEY, : PROPRIETOR.
A CHOICE LOT OF
WINES,
LIQUORS,
AND CIGARS.
ALWAYS ON HAND.
MAIN STREET, MADISON.
je30-tf

F. A. Freund
House, Sign Painting
—AND—
PAPER HANGING, GLAZING,
ETC., ETC.
MADISON, YOLO CO., CAL
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DAILY STAGE TO MADISON.
ON AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL RUN
Daily Stage to Madison
LEAVING WOODLAND 6 A. M.,
AND RETURNING LEAVE
MADISON AT 1 O'CLOCK P. M.
CONNECTING WITH
TRI-WEEKLY STAGE FOR
CALIFORNIA QUICKSILVER MINES.
H. C. DUNJAN, Proprietor.
Woodland, April 24, 1878.

DR. SPINNEY
No. 11 KEARNY STREET,
Treats all Chronic and Special Diseases
YOUNG MEN
WHO MAY BE SUFFERING FROM the effect of youthful follies or indiscretion will do well to avail themselves of this, the greatest boon ever laid at the altar of suffering humanity. DR. SPINNEY will guarantee to forfeit $500 for every case of seminal weakness or private disease of any kind or character which he undertakes, and fails to cure.
MIDDLE-AGED MEN.
There are many at the age of thirty to sixty who are troubled with too frequent evacuation of the bladder, often accompanied by a slight smarting or burning sensation, and a weakening of the system in a manner the patient cannot account for. On examining the urinary deposits a ropy sediment will often be found and sometimes small particles of albumen will appear, or the color will be of a thin milkish hue, again changing to a dark and torpid appearance. There are many men who die of this difficulty ignorant of the cause. Which is the second stage of seminal weakness. DR. S. will guarantee a perfect cure in all such cases, and a healthy restoration of the genito-urinary organs.
OFFICE HOURS—10 to 4 and 6 to 8. Hours from 10 to 11 A. M. Consultation free. Thorough Examination and advice $5.
Call or address,
DR. SPINNEY & CO.
ap6-1y No. 11 Kearny St. San Francisco

CANCER
Can be Cured by Dr. Bond's System.
No Knife. Positively No Caustics, Absolutely No Pain.
Remedies sent to any part of world. Pamphlets and particulars
Call on or address DR. H. T. BOND, 859 N. Broad Street, Philadelphia, Pa. ap14-1y

WOODLAND ADVERTISEMENTS.

sept22-tf

P. KRELLENBERG,
Dealer and Manufacturer of all Kinds of
Furniture and Bedding
Which will be Sold at
REASONABLE PRICES,
ALSO
General Undertaker.
I keep on hand a large lot of
BURIAL CASES and COFFINS
AND HAVE A
FIRST-CLASS HEARSE,
So that I am prepared to supply everything necessary for Funerals on short notice.
Store corner Third and Main Streets, Opposite Peckman & Reed's Livery Stables,
Woodland.
sep2-tf

L. Machefert.
Jewelry Store,
Craft Hotel Building
WOODLAND, CAL.
CLOCKS, WATCHES, CHAINS, LADIES GOLD SETS,
SOLID AND PLATED WARE
GOLD PENS SPECTACLES,
And everything in the Jewelry line
AGENCY OF THE
Florence Sewing Machine.
dec8-tf

J. K. SMITH,
FURNITURE DEALER AND
UNDERTAKER
Opposite Craft House, Woodland.
A FULL SUPPLY OF
WOOD AND METALIC BURIAL CASES AND CASKETS,
CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
Orders by Telegraph Promptly Attended to.
sept2-tf

Incorporated under the Laws of the State of California.
CAPITAL STOCK (in U. S. Gold Coin), $500,000
Bank of Woodland.
TRANSACTS A GENERAL BANKING AND EXCHANGE BUSINESS.
Gives particular attention to the collection of NOTES, DRAFTS, COUPONS, DIVIDENDS, ETC.
J. D. STEPHENS.....President
C. W. BUSH.....Cashier.
sep12-tf

EXCHANGE HOTEL,
WOODLAND.
D. C. HUBBARD, Proprietor.
BOARD BY THE DAY OR WEEK, AT REASONABLE RATES.
This House has just been Renovated Throughout, and Everything is Neat and Cleanly.
No Chinese Cooks Employed.
nov24-tf

St. Nicholas Saloon,
Woodland.
JOHN MOORE, : PROPRIETOR
THE FINEST BRANDS OF
WINES,
LIQUORS,
AND CIGARS
CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
Call on me and then Go By.
This sign hangs high and liquors none, Refresh, then pay and travel on.
sept22-tf

Bank Exchange,
Main St. Woodland
OPPOSITE POST OFFICE.
THE BEST OF
WINES,
LIQUORS
AND CIGARS
CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
Parties visiting Woodland would do well to give me a call.
J. JOHNSON, Jr.,
nov24-tf Proprietor.

## Burlington Hawkeyetems.

THE man who shot at the Emperor William was arrested so quickly the police didn't have time to lose him.

DON'T spank your children with the boot-jack. It is too hard to hold, and is apt to make bunions on your thumb.

THE minister of the interior of the Sandwich Islands was assassinated recently. Here is a chance for another Ohio man.

A NORTH HILL baby ate a box of blacking Sunday afternoon, and the happy parents are confident the youngster will shine in polished society.

THERE is music in the air, for another political campaign is upon us and what few newspapers are not already set down as organs will be denounced as lyres.

A WEST HILL man made his doctor awful mad the other morning by telling him that he felt "terrible well." That is no way to speak to an anxious physician.

AN earthquake at Cua, Venezuela, recently killed six hundred persons. We believe we are growing more and more reconciled to the climate of Iowa every day.

IN the bright lexicon of American youth, there is no such word as fail. A man merely becomes embarrassed and compromises with his creditors for thirty cents.

ELIZABETH ALLEN, in a poem, asks, "Oh, willow, why forever weep?" Elizabeth is a little mistaken as to the facts. It isn't the willow that weeps, it is the boy who dances under the limber end of it.

WE can plainly see that Canada is getting ready for annexation. The House of Commons at Ottowa, last Saturday, swore and howled and fought and called names over a little bit of corruption, just like an American Congress.

FRUIT jar advertisements are beginning to sparkle in the newspapers, and between the first of June and the middle of September, a good-natured porcelain kettle will travel more miles on a smaller circuit than a Methodist preacher.

THE Providence Tool company has just started to complete the last batch of one hundred thousand rifles in its contract with Turkey. They ought to be completed in time for the next war. However, it isn't mere rifles that Turkey wants, so much as more Turks.

Who'd be a candidate
Pestered to death?
Speech-making till he is
Clear out of breath.

I'd rather stay at home
All of the time,
And not give the campaign fund
One single dime.

GRANT is going, or has been, to Dijon. We were going to make a good one out of that, but as at an imperfect classical education leaves us in such gloomy doubt whether Dijon is pronounced to rhyme with pigeon that we dare not make the attempt. On, for one hour in a Texas free school.

STRAWBERRY festivals have taken the place of the Winter revivals in the churches. A strawberry, brethren, isn't as big nor as slippery as an oyster, but it costs just as much at a church festival, and is just as lonely and as hard to find in a short cake, as the oyster was in the wilds of his native soup.

THE dispatches assure us "the president is not afraid or disquieted." Such assurances are needless. The president has shown all along that he is not a timid man. His past life has shown that he is not deficient in courage. Nobody expects him to be afraid. We don't want him to get frightened. We want him to get mad. Mad. Mad as thunder.

THE Missouri press association is now in session at Springfield, Missouri. We wanted to go, awfully, but we couldn't. The onion beds need weeding, the grass in the front yard hasn't been cut yet, the verbena beds has to be spaded up, the baby is teething, and the tramp to whom was given our only summer clothes is prowling around Indiana hen roosts in them. Indeed, brethren, we can't get away.

THE death of Morrissey leaves Joe Coburn the only eminent pugilist in America. And he is not engaged in professional duties at present. Oh, no, he has reformed, and is an honest, hard working man, plodding steadily along at his trade of bricklaying, at Auburn, New York. The first day he was at work, by the way, somebody came along and built a state prison around him, and he hasn't been able to find the door of it yet.

JOHN BURDETTE has a new dog and in a spirit of malicious daring has named him "Mister." And everytime he waves his hand at the canine and shouts in savage tones, "Go home, Mister, or I'll land a brick at ye!" every man on the street rolls up his sleeves and waltzes up to the auditor and wants to know "who he's a talkin' to, and what he meant by it?" And the result is the boy is on fighting terms with half the men in Burlington.

WHAT is the world coming to, and how? Last week a barrel of flour blew up in a Minnesota mill, a grindstone burst in an Ohio manufactory, and a load of coal exploded in an English ship. First thing we know some careless hod carrier will shoot himself all to pieces with a sand shifter. A man can't eat a flap jack in safety, now, unless he knows it isn't loaded. These are troublous times and if it wasn't that the family would blow us up if we stopped it, we wouldn't have *Scribner's Magazine* in the house another minute.

WE have heard enough of this swash about the excellence of pedestrian exercise and the great amount of good Bertha Von Hillern and O'Leary are doing by inciting people to walk. Pedestrianism in a country where it rains nine days a week can never become popular and general; and besides, what is wanted in this country is not a race of men who can walk 500 miles in 2,150 hours, so much as a race of men with five arms apiece, and a row of hooks up and down the back, so they can carry their wives' shopping home without paying for one seat and taking up the whole street car.

THE dispatches from Paris inform us that "the commission on the treaty of the postal congress has decided to report six francs per kilogramme for letters to the United States." Now, what kind of a way is that to talk to us? So far as that information teaches us anything, we would go down to the post office with a piano box full of stove legs, and hand the postmaster four cents to pay the postage, only to learn that a kilogramme was one sixteenth of an ounce, and a franc was 87½ cents. And precious cheap we would feel, then. We protest against this reckless use of French words in American dispatches. What! must a man learn forty languages before he news of the daily to paragraph can assume!

## PROCEEDINGS OF CONGRESS.

### Senate.

BILLS INTRODUCED OR REPORTED BACK.—To repeal the existing taxes on capital, deposits of banks and bankers, and to impose taxes on dividends in excess of eight per cent.

To amend the Act of March 3, 1875, to determine the jurisdiction of Circuit Courts of the United States, and to regulate the removal of the causes from State Courts, and also making further provision in reference to the removal of causes from State Courts to Circuit Courts.

The River and Harbor Appropriation bill. It appropriates about $900,000 more than the House bill.

BILLS PASSED.—The bill providing a permanent form of government for the District of Columbia was taken up and several amendments adopted:

Providing for the appointment of a Health Officer by the District Commissioners and at a salary of $4,000; proving that the debt of the District shall not be increased except by a loan of $200,000 authorized by the pending bill; abolishing the Board of Police Commissioners and the Board of School Trustees, and transferring their powers to the Commissioners of the District; also abolishing the Sinking Fund Commissioners and transferring their powers to the Treasurer of the United States; declaring that the term "school houses," used in the Act of June 17th, 1870, should be held to include all educational establishments, not conducted for private gain, and providing for refunding of certain taxes paid upon property actually used for educational purposes. As thus amended the bill was passed.

The House bill to provide for the publication of notices of contest under the Homestead, Preemption and Tree Culture Acts.

To amend the revised statute relative to cultivation of timber on the public domain.

The Consular and Diplomatic Appropriation bill.

The bill providing for the appointment of an additional Judge in the Seventh Judicial Circuit, composed of the States of Indiana and Illinois.

Consideration was resumed of the Legislative, Judicial and Executive Appropriation bill, the pending question being upon the amendment by Spencer to continue the Clerk of the Committee on Military Affairs during the recess, at an annual salary of $2,200, which, after a lengthy discussion, was agreed to. The bill was further amended by appropriating $5,000 to investigate the history and habits of insects injurious to the cotton plant, and increasing the salary of the Surveyor-General of Louisiana from $2,000 to $6,000.

RESOLUTIONS INTRODUCED.—Declaring that it is unwise and inexpedient for Congress at the present session to change the existing rate of tax on manufactured tobacco.

Providing for the payment of the award made by the Fishery Commission at Halifax under the treaty of Washington.

A concurrent resolution, "that the views and recommendations embraced in the report of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations touching the award made by the Fishery Commission at Halifax are hereby approved."

RESOLUTIONS PASSED.—The concurrent resolution declaring that the provisions of the existing treaty between China and the United States allowing unrestricted emigration to this country from China might wisely be modified so as to subserve the best interests of both Governments, and inviting the attention of the Executive to the subject.

That the President of the United States be requested to communicate to the Senate copies of all correspondence not heretofore submitted, and of all memoranda and minutes in possession of the Government relating to the selection of M. Maurice Delfosse as one of the Commissioners under the treaty of Washington on the Fisheries question.

Calling upon the President for information in relation to the claim of John Kendrick and other citizens of the United States, for personal injuries received on the 19th of October, 1854, at Virgin Bay, Nicaragua, alleged to have been committed by soldiers acting under orders of the Nicaraguan Government, and what steps should be taken for adjustment of said claims.

### House.

BILLS INTRODUCED.—To establish a permanent sinking fund. It provides that there shall be appropriated for the fiscal year, commencing June, 1878, and for each succeeding year, out of the custom revenues, the sum of $100,000,000, which shall be applied, first, to the payment of interest on the public debt; to the redemption or purchase of so much of the outstanding principal of the public debt as can be purchased or redeemed at not more than par and accrued interest. All bonds so purchased or redeemed to cease to bear interest and to be cancelled and destroyed. It abrogates the Act providing for an annual sinking fund. Section 5 of the bill provides that the Act shall be known as the Sinking Fund Act of 1878.

To encourage and aid a higher education of the colored race in the District of Columbia and the several States. (Requiring $200,000 of colored soldiers' unclaimed bounty to be invested in bonds, and the interest thereof to be paid to the Howard University, which is to furnish educational facilities, without charge, to students of the colored race who have passed through the colored schools of the District and to two colored students annually from each State in the Union.)

To establish a National University at Washington.

To extend the jurisdiction of the Court of Claims to cases growing out of Indian treaties.

To apply the proceeds of the sale of public lands to the education of the people.

Appropriating $50,000 to provide for transportation of United States mails between Galveston and Veri Cruz and Mexico.

BILLS PASSED.—Allowing the Secretary of the Treasury to constitute Superintendents of Mints or Assayers in assay offices Assistant Treasurers of the United States.

The Senate amendments to the House bill for the free entry of articles imported for exhibition by societies established for the encouragement of arts and sciences were concurred in, and the bill passed.

The bill for holding an election for representatives in California to the Forty-sixth Congress, the first Wednesday in September, 1878.

The House then voted on amendments to the Army Appropriation bill. All items which had been increased on the basis of an army force of 25,000 men were restored to the original amounts on a basis of 20,000, by a vote of 130 ayes to 115 nays.

The amendments fixing the number of cavalry regiments at eight, and of infantry at eighteen, were concurred in. Also the amendment fixing the maximum of privates in cavalry companies at 125 men.

The amendment transferring control of the Indians to the War Department was agreed to —yeas 130, nays 115.

The amendment prohibiting the employment of any part of the army as a posse comitatus was adopted—yeas 130, nays 117, and the bill passed without division.

The main features of the bill are: Fixing the strength of the army at 20,000 men; fixing the number of cavalry regiments at eight, with companies of not exceeding 125 privates, and of infantry regiments at eighteen, with companies of not less than sixty privates; reducing the force of the various staff departments; providing for a Board to reorganize those departments; providing for a Board to recommend the retiring or mustering out of officers; fixing the number of Major-Generals at one, and of Brigadier-Generals at three; after those figures shall have been reached, reducing the number and rank of Aides-de-Camp; reducing the pay and emoluments of officers; transferring the Indian Bureau to the War Department, and prohibiting the employment of troops for civil purposes unless specially authorized by Act of Congress.

Amending the revised statutes so as to provide that Postmasters, except those appointed by the President, shall make quarterly reports of money received or charged by them for postage, etc., and that every Postmaster appointed by the President shall render monthly accounts of such money so received.

The Senate amendment to the bill for the repeal of the Bankrupt law was concurred in and the bill passed. It now goes to the President for his signature.

The Conference Report on the Consular Appropriation bill, which now appropriates $61,000 less than in 1877, was agreed to.

The salaries of the English, French and German Ministers remain at $17,500. Those of Spain, Austria, Italy, Japan, Mexico, Brazil, China, $12,000, and range down to $2,500. The Consul-General at Cairo gets $4,000; Consuls-General to London, Paris, Havana, Rio Janeiro, $6,000; Melbourne, $4,500; Berlin, $4,000; Vienna, Frankfort, Rome, Constantinople, $3,000—all being an increase. The appropriations for Consuls, Vice-Consuls, agents and clerks are raised from $290,000 to $304,600.

Appropriating $20,000 to defray the expenses of the Potter Investigation Committee.

The Senate bill for the relief of settlers on public lands under the preemption laws, in reference to computation of time for perfecting title.

Some forty-five private bills were passed.

RESOLUTION ADOPTED.—The Senate resolution to adjourn finally on the 24th of June was amended by changing the time to the 17th, and so passed.

## SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

[Quotations, unless otherwise specified, represent receivers' prices in lots, marketed on wharf or from store.]

FLOUR.—Demand light, buyers taking only to supply immediate pressing wants; prices further eased off. City mills doing but little, market being supplied largely with Oregon and Walla Walla Flour, and these kinds are all lower and easier at the decline noted. Low grades Oregon very dull, heavy and irregular.

Superfine, $4 75@$5 00; extra superfine, $5 12½@$5 37½; standard extras, $5 37½@$6 00; Oregon, fair to choice, $5 50@$5 75.

WHEAT.—British markets were again lower and dull and heavy, causing easier feeling here, bringing out offers to sell at very low prices, particularly poor Wheat. New crop transactions, July delivery, reported at $1 65; market less buoyant in sympathy with the British markets and the pacific war news. About fifteen hundred tons sold for future delivery, June, July and as far off as September; farmers are more anxious to contract their crops. Charters: British ship Commodore, Wheat and merchandise, p. t.; ship Jabez Howes, Wheat and merchandise, prior to arrival, 50s early loading, new crop. British bark Bouverie, prior to arrival, 55s. We quote June and July, to Liverpool, 50@55s; market inactive. Tonnage headed this way pretty large, and it would seem September rates quoted 57s 6d@60s, easy.

We quote good milling, $1 85; superfine, $1 75@$1 80; shipping, ——; low grades, $1 65@$1 70.

BARLEY.—Larger consumption, but feed is freely offered, and only extra choice lots sell up to $1 05. Brewing is pressing for sale, also, and prices lower.

We quote bay feed, 95c@$1 00; coast feed, 92½@97½c (all gold); brewing, $1 10@$1 15

CORN.—The Prices Current says: Was firmer; the market advanced. The feeling was very strong; one hundred tons of large yellow sold early in the week at $3 00, Mexican purchase, and expected orders by the steamer Newburn, which arrived 28th ult., advanced holders' views to $3 10, and $3 05 was subsequently offered for a large lot in warehouse, and small lots sold at $3 10. Small yellow is relatively cheaper. Mexican buyers have been educated to large Corn for home use, and coming in competition as it does with Wheat, it is not wanted at prices above large yellow. White is scarce. It is thought that our Corn supplies will barely bridge over until new crop arrives, and the tone of prices is strong. No Eastern receipts; the last lot, 1,000 sks, did not stand inspection, and reclamations allowed, cost buyer $1 85. Advices speak of more to arrive, not wanted for Mexico.

We quote large yellow, $2 05@$2 10; small round yellow, $2 10@$2 12½; large white, $2 25.

OATS.—Market more active; supply less plentiful; prices trifle higher, but not firm, at the advance noted, except for extra choice heavy Oats.

We quote milling at $1 55@$1 60; good to choice feed, $1 40@$1 50; common feed, $1 30@$1 37½.

WOOL.—Eastern manufacturing buyers grow daily more careful in their operations, and are inclined to make their money go just as far as possible, and have bought Wool of all kinds at very low prices compared with their earlier purchases; this sort of operating keeps the lower grades moving out faster than fine, high-priced Wool; but the movement is small all-round. Low grade Wool is not desirable to hold, and growers it seems have partaken more of the selling fever; are beginning to understand the Eastern situation, the goods market, the Wool market, the stock of Wool arriving both here and at Eastern markets, and the unfavorable condition of affairs generally, and we think prices are fast settling down to their unfavorable basis.

We quote: Northern, good to choice, 28@25c; northern, fair to good, 20@22½c; southern, year's clip, choice, 17@20c; six months' southern, fair to choice, 15@19c; burry and scabby, 12@14c.

HOPS.—There is but little doing.

Nominal quotations—California, 5½@7½c; Oregon, 5@6c.

DAIRY PRODUCE.—Butter continues to rule low, under moderate deliveries and a light consumptive demand; there has been a great falling off this year in country orders for box Butter, attributed to the fact that there are many little inland towns now supplying themselves, or rather drawing their supplies from near-by farmers. In former years they were obliged to look toward this market for their requirements; in this respect there are great changes coming over the dairy interest in this State. The make of Butter is increasing, but this city is and will receive relatively less than past years. Cheese is plentiful and weak. Eggs very dull; Eastern and Utah deliveries glut the market; California larger receipt—quality irregular.

We quote: California choice fresh roll Butter, 22@23c; fair to good roll, 20@22c; Cheese—California, 9@11c; Western Cheese, —— ₱ lb; California Eggs, 24@25c ₱ doz; Eastern, 19@21c; Utah, 23@24c.

PROVISIONS.—Hams and Bacon have advanced.

We quote: California plain Hams, 10c; Eastern Canvassed C. S. C. Hams, 10½@11¼c, as to brand; California Lard, 10@12c; Eastern do, 13¼@14c; California Bacon, 11¼@12¼c; Eastern Bacon, 11@12c; California Smoked Beef, $9 00@$11 00 ₱ bbl; Beef, $8 50@$10 50 ₱ bbl; hf 10bl, $4 50@$6 00; Pork, ₱ bbl, $23 00@$24 00.

SALMON AND SMOKED FISH.—Salmon very dull—$1 30@$1 35 for 1-lb tins; bbl, ——; hf bbl, ——; all as to quality, where caught and grade of fish. Cod, Pacific, bdls, —— ₱ lb; Cod, in cases, 6¼@7c; Cod, boneless, Eastern, 9@10c ₱ lb; Georges' Cod, 9c ₱ lb; Mackerel, hf bbls, No. 1, $10 00@$11 00; do, hf bbls, No. 2, $8 00@$10 00; do, kits, No. 1, $2 25@$2 50; do, kits, No. 2, $2 00@$2 25.

POULTRY.—We quote: Turkeys, alive, 21@24c; Hens, ₱ doz, $9 00@$10 00; Roosters, young, ₱ doz, $11 00@$13 00; Broilers, ₱ doz, $5 00@$8 50; Ducks, ₱ doz. $8 00@$9 00; Geese, ₱ pair, $1 50@$2 00.

FRUIT, GREEN.—Market now begins to present its usual summer appearance; weather is cold and demand only moderate.

We quote: Apples, $1 00 ₱ bsk; Pears, 60c; Plums, ₱ lb, 18@20c; Currants, ₱ chest, $5 00@$6 00; Raspberries, 18@20c; Strawberries, ₱ chest, $10 00@$16 00; Cherries, black, ₱ lb, 12½@20c; light color, 8@12½c; Gooseberries, ₱ lb, 6½@7c; Bananas, $1 50@$4 00 ₱ bunch; Limes, Mexican, $12 00@$14 00; Limes, California, —— ₱ M; California Oranges, $40 00@$50 00; Tahiti, $30 00.

FRUIT, DRIED.—We quote: Apples, quartered, at 4½@6c ₱ lb; Apples, sliced, 7@8½c; Plums, dried, 10@12c; Peaches, 7½@9c; Plums, California, pitted, 16@17c; Plums, Oregon, 14@15c; Raisins, $1 00@$2 00.

NUTS.—Almonds, 9c for hard and 14@16c for soft shell; Brazil, 12½@14c; Filberts, 12½@15c; Hickory, 10@11c; Pecan, 10@14c; Chile Walnuts, 10@11c; California Walnuts 8@10c; California Peanuts, 4@5c ₱ lb; Cocoanuts, $5 00@$8 00 ₱ hundred.

POTATOES AND ONIONS.—New Potatoes more plentiful, and market falling; old scarce. New Onions plentier and lower; old scarce.

We quote: New California, $3 00@$3 50 ₱ 100 lbs; Onions, new, ₱ 100 lbs, 75c@$1 25.

BEANS.—

We quote as follows (gold coin): Bayo, $5 75@$6 00; small White, $4 25@$4 50; Pea, $4 40@$4 50; Red, ——; Butter, $3 75@$4 00; medium do, ——; Limas, $4 00; Pink, $6 00.

HONEY.—New crop is pressing to sale, and buyers timid. A very handsome lot of strained offered at 8c, no buyer. Comb in supply with strained—buyers run after for bids. There must be an outlet for our surplus, but as yet there is no movement; shipments East are talked of, but nothing settled.

We quote: New crop Comb, white, 10@12½c; Comb, dark, 8@10c; Strained, dark 6@7c; Strained, choice, 7@8c ₱ lb.

CORNMEAL.—Fine kinds, for the table, 2½@3c ₱ lb; coarse kinds for feed, $43 00 ₱ ton.

MEATS AND LIVE STOCK.—We quote: Beef, first quality, 6@7c; second do, 5@6c; third do, 4@5c; Veal, small, 8@9c; do large, 6@7c; Mutton, 3¼@4¼c; Lamb, 7@8c; Hogs, as in quality, 5½@6¼c ₱ lb.

BAGS AND BAGGING.—Grain sacks are in fair request and upward tendency.

We quote: Machine-sewed, 22x36, 11¼@11½c; hand-sewed, 22x36, 11¼@11½c; Standard Gunnies, 13@14c; Wool Sacks, heavy, 50@52½c; Wool Sacks, light, 47½@50c.

HIDES, SKINS AND TALLOW.—Dry Hides, over 16 lbs, 14½@15c; Dry Hides, Kip and Calf, 12½@13c; wet salted, 7½@8c. Plump, heavy Steer, 8½@9c; salted kip, 7½@8c; salted calf, 7@10c; deer skins, ₱ lb, 18@25c; pelts, longwool, ₱ skin, 80c@$1 00; pelts, medium, ₱ skin, 40@60c; pelts, short, ₱ skin, 30@40c; pelts, shearlings, ₱ skin, 15@20c; Mexican dry Hides are 1 cent cheaper than the above quotations. Tallow, 7½@8c.

BEESWAX.—Quotable at 28@30c.

## Anniversary.

We clip the following from San Francisco *Evening Bulletin:*

The importation of Clothing to this city forms one of the most important items in the business of the Central Pacific Railroad. San Francisco houses in this particular line are foremost in the ranks of our mercantile community, with connections stretching over both continents. These remarks are particularly apropos in connection with the twenty-fifth anniversary of the firm of Colman Bros., which this year marks in the business history of San Francisco. The Messrs. Colman manufacture for their own and also a general trade in New York, and handle more fine Clothing than any house, to our knowledge, west of the Rocky Mountains. They buy, both in home and foreign markets, large invoices of Cloths of new styles, shades and patterns appropriate for each coming season, large quantities of which are shipped to this coast manufactured in latest styles.

## A Household Article.

A sewing machine is of as much necessity to a home as a housekeeper. No sooner does a lady go to housekeeping than she asks: "What sewing machine shall I buy?" As there are many different machines manufactured, the question is sometimes a difficult one to answer. A machine that is now meeting with a rapid sale, and is attracting general attention throughout the West, and, in fact, all over the country, is the White Sewing Machine, manufactured at Cleveland, Ohio, by the White Sewing Machine Company. Since the first sewing machine was made, thirty years ago, improvements have been added year by year, almost too many to enumerate; and the White Sewing Machine has among its striking advantages some of the latest improvements in the production of machines. It is remarkable as a light-running shuttle sewing machine and for its capacity and power. It is simply constructed, and not complicated with cog-gears and large cams. It has a steel feed on both sides of the needle, and its shuttle is comparatively self-threading, made of solid steel and carrying a large bobbin. It also has a device by which bobbins can be filled without running the entire machine, thereby relieving it from wear for this purpose, as also the operator of the necessity of removing the work of attachments. But an attractive feature of this machine is the "take-up," by which every box or bearing can be tightened around the journal by means of a little set screw, so that there is no such thing as wearing out or play to any part of the machine. After years' use, in fact, the whole can be readjusted in ten minutes, and made to work better than ever, as the bearings have become perfectly smooth. This principle has been applied to planos, in regulating the action; but its use in sewing machines is of recent date and very ingenious in its application. In the White Machine this is applied in every case where there is a friction and the parts are liable to wear out. The machines are run at high speed for some time, and then tested at actual work by an expert before they leave the shop, so that they can be warranted. The facilities at the factory are complete, and the best material and the most skillful talent is used in the construction of machines. As the good qualities of the White Machine become known, it is no wonder that the sales are largely increasing. Full and complete information respecting these machines may be obtained by sending to Samuel Hill, dealer in all the best and latest improved sewing machines, needles and attachments for all machines, oil stoves, darning machines, etc., 19 New Montgomery street, San Francisco.—*S. F. Bulletin.*

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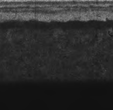

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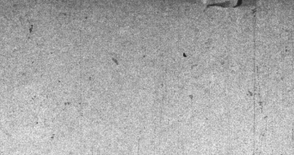

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